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SUBJ: MEDIA ATTENTION FOR AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEER MEDICAL  
PERSONNEL WORKING WITH VIETNAMESE REFUGEES ON GUAM

1. MICHAEL DARBY, ORGANIZER OF AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEER MEDICAL PERSONNEL WHO HAVE BEEN WORKING WITH VIETNAMESE REFUGEES ON GUAM, RETURNED TO AUSTRALIA JUNE 9 AND HAS SUGGESTED TO EMBASSY THAT THERE MAY BE VALUE IN ENCOURAGING U.S. MEDIA COVERAGE OF AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEER EFFORTS ON GUAM. FIRST GROUP OF AUSTRALIAN MEDICAL VOLUNTEERS HAS RETURNED TO AUSTRALIA, BUT THERE ARE STILL FIVE VOLUNTEERS WORKING THERE, AND AUSTRALIAN EFFORT WILL BE MAINTAINED AT ABOUT THIS LEVEL FOR SOME TIME. DARBY SUGGESTED THAT U.S. MEDIA COULD CONTACT AUSTRALIAN DR. JOHN TAYLOR, WHO IS PRESENTLY STAYING AT QTE GUAM-TOKYO HOTEL END QTE ON GUAM, WOULD BE ABLE TO DIRECT MEDIA ATTENTION TO AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEERS.

2. DARBY COMMENTED THAT HE HAD IMPRESSION U.S. PUBLIC NOT RPT NOT SUFFICIENTLY AWARE OF WHAT IS BEING DONE FOR VIETNAMESE

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REFUGEES. HE SAID THERE MIGHT BE VALUE FOR U.S. IN

DEMONSTRATING THAT AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEERS ARE ALSO HELPING  
OUT IN PROGRAMS FOR VIETNAMESE REFUGEES.  
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